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Memo

To: SA/RR

From: Chief, R/MM

Subject: item on Chinese negotiations for a steel plant

from Europe

1. We are in general agreement with the article and find it is a good rack-up of the rather fragmentarily and confusingly reported negotiations.

2. We would offer the following minor comments on the article:

a. For paragraph 2, we have a report that the tube extrusion mill from Schloemann that a capacity of 35,000 tons annually.

b. In paragraph 4, we have no information that Wuhan is to be the location of the plant or plants under negotiation. We would very much like to have the source of this information, if possible and appropriate.

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